Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Year-End Summary Report Based On Number of Reported Cases January - December 2001

Juvenile Court PUTNAM
Court Number 71

January - December 2001

1,565 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted

Affecting 942 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended ChargesEach Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
1	OR	0.05% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
2	OR	0.11% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
1	OR	0.05% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.05% Other Sexual Offenses
5	OR	0.27% Aggravated Assault
1	OR	0.05% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
43	OR	2.34% Assault
5	OR	0.27% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
2	OR	0.11% Arson
17	OR	0.93% Aggravated Burglary
104	OR	5.66% Theft of Property
38	OR	2.07% Vandalism
3	OR	0.16% Forgery
14	OR	0.76% Worthless Checks
3	OR	0.16% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
5	OR	0.27% Burglary
6	OR	0.33% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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17	OR		Sale of Controlled Substances
21	OR		Other Drug Offenses
90	OR		Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR		Criminal Attempt
2	OR		Carrying Weapons on School Property
4	OR		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
12	OR		Evading Arrest
6	OR OR		Escape Driving Under Influence (DUI)
4 42	OR		Driving Under Influence (DUI) Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
	OR		•
6 0	OR		Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
4	OR		Aggravated Criminal Trespass Harassment
0	OR		Failure to Appear
1	OR		Filing a False Police Report
4	OR		Criminal Impersonation
27	OR		Disorderly Conduct
20	OR		Criminal Trespass
3	OR		Public Intoxication
0	OR		Gambling
476	OR	25.91%	<u> </u>
7	OR		Local Ordinances
0	OR		Violation of Wildlife Regulations
313	OR		Contempt of Court
121	OR		Violation of Probation
13	OR		Violation of Aftercare
3	OR		Unruly Behavior
44	OR		Truancy
64	OR		In-State Runaway
1	OR		Out-of-State Runaway
60	OR		Possession of Tobacco Products
33	OR	1.80%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
104	OR	5.66%	Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	OR		Physically Abused Child
39	OR	2.12%	Dependency/Neglect
12	OR	0.65%	Termination of Parental Rights
11	OR	0.60%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00%	Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00%	Foster Care Review
5	OR	0.27%	Custody
4	OR	0.22%	Visitation
0	OR	0.00%	Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR		Child Support
0	OR		Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR		Consent to Marry
13	OR	0.71%	
1,837	OR	100.00%	
Of the	1,565	Cases, There W	ere 1,837 Referral Sources
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Referral Source

981	OR	53.4%	Were Referred By Law Enforcement
62	OR	3.4%	Were Referred By Parents
5	OR	0.3%	Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Self
52	OR	2.8%	Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By CSA
130	OR	7.1%	Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Other State Departments
1	OR	0.1%	Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
470	OR	25.6%	Were Referred By Court Staff
42	OR	2.3%	Were Referred By Social Agency
17	OR	0.9%	Were Referred By Other Court
71	OR	3.9%	Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0%	Were Unknown
 6	OR	0.3%	Other
1,837	OR	100.0%	Total

Of the	1,565	Cases, There Were	1,837 Intake Actions
Intake Actions			
0	OR	0.0% Petition Fi	led
0	OR	0.0% Motion File	ed
0	OR	0.0% Citation Pr	rocessed
0	OR	0.0% Notification	n of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling	g of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling	g of Administrative Review
2	OR		g of Foster Care Review
1,835	OR	99.9% Unknown	
0	OR	0.0% Does Not	Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other	
1,837	OR	100.0% Total	•

Of The 1,565 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
1,565	OR	100.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,565	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

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86 OR 5.5% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement

42	OR	2.7% Juvenile Detention Facility
9	OR	0.6% Jail
2	OR	0.1% Shelter Facility/Group Home
3	OR	0.2% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
93	OR	5.9% Unknown
1,330	OR	85.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,565	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

942 Children

Age of Child At Referral

42	OR	4.5% Birth Through Age 10
18	OR	1.9% Ages 11 Through 12
114	OR	12.1% Ages 13 Through 14
358	OR	38.0% Ages 15 Through 16
389	OR	41.3% Age 17 Through 18
16	OR	1.7% Age 19 And Over
5	OR	0.5% Unknown/Not Reported
942	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

611	OR	64.9% Male
325	OR	34.5% Female
6	OR	0.6% Unknown
942	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

850	OR	90.2% White
19	OR	2.0% African American
1	OR	0.1% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
7	OR	0.7% Mixed Race
65	OR	6.9% Unknown
942	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 942 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

20 OR 2.1% Were Of Hispanic Origin

Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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239	OR	25.4% Living With Both Biological Parents
38	OR	4.0% Living With Father And Stepmother
88	OR	9.3% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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186	OR	19.7% Living With Mother
41	OR	4.4% Living With Father
22	OR	2.3% Living With Relatives
2	OR	0.2% Living With Adoptive Parents
10	OR	1.1% Living With Foster Family
8	OR	0.8% Living In A Group Home
7	OR	0.7% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
15	OR	1.6% Living Independently
275	OR	29.2% Unknown
11	OR	1.2% Other
942	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

622	OR	66.0% Were Enrolled In School
9	OR	1.0% Were Not Enrolled In School
311	OR	33.0% Unknown
942	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

2	OR	0.2% Too Young For School
		- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
4	OR	0.4% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
2	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 2
1	OR	0.1% Finished Grade 3
1	OR	0.1% Finished Grade 4
6	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 5
27	OR	2.9% Finished Grade 6
45	OR	4.8% Finished Grade 7
78	OR	8.3% Finished Grade 8
129	OR	13.7% Finished Grade 9
141	OR	15.0% Finished Grade 10
126	OR	13.4% Finished Grade 11
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
26	OR	2.8% GED
16	OR	1.7% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
338	OR	35.9% Unknown
942	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

16	OR	1.7% Were Enrolled In Special Education
83	OR	8.8% Not Enrolled In Special Education
843	OR	89.5% Unknown
942	OR	100.0% Total
The Following Are The		4,436 Specific Case Outcomes

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Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

286 OR 6.45% Case Dismissed

2	UR	0.05% Case Retired of Notice Prosequi	
0	OR	0.00% Warned/Counseled	
0	OR	0.00% Held Open For Review	
18	OR	0.41% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court	
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents	
1	OR	0.02% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service	
2	OR	0.05% Referred For Mental Health Counseling	
19	OR	0.43% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling	
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School	
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency	
263	OR	5.93% Referred To Defensive Driving School	
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School	
171	OR	3.85% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program	
7	OR	0.16% Driver's License Held Informally	
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR	
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement	
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement	
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility	
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual	
164	OR	3.70% Fine	
650	OR	14.65% Public Service	
27	OR	0.61% Restitution	
1	OR	0.02% Runaway Returned	
2	OR	0.05% No Contact Order	
97	OR	2.19% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order	
41	OR	0.92% House Arrest	
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew	
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment	
4	OR	0.09% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion	
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation	
1	OR	0.02% Transferred To Adult Court	
7	OR	0.16% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment	
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate	
61	OR	1.38% DCS Commitment/Custody	
49	OR	1.10% DCS Commitment - Suspended	
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation	
50	OR	1.13% Other Intensive Probation	
36	OR	0.81% DCS Probation	
30	OR	0.68% Placed Under a Valid Court Order	
156	OR	3.52% Supervision By DCS	
46	OR	1.04% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition	
9	OR	0.20% Parental Rights Terminated	
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated	
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3	OR	0.07% Order of Reference To DCS	PUTNAM
1,340	OR	30.21% Court Costs	
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated	
12	OR	0.27% Foster Care Continued	
24	OR	0.54% Custody Changed	
0	OR	0.00% Custody Unchanged	

0.05% Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi

2 OR

	13	OR	0.29% \	Visitation Changed
	0	OR	۷ %00.0	Visitation Unchanged
	0	OR	۷ %00.0	Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
	0	OR	0.00% I	Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
	0	OR	0.00% I	Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
	0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Granted
	0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Amended
	0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Denied
	0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
	0	OR	0.00% I	Request For Medical Treatment Granted
	0	OR	0.00% I	Request For Medical Treatment Denied
	0	OR	0.00%	Consent To Marry Granted
	0	OR	0.00%	Consent To Marry Denied
8	44	OR	19.03%(Other
4,4	36	OR	100.00%	Total

Disposed By

Of the	1,837	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
1,837	OR	100.0% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
1.837	OR	100.0% Total

Of The	1,565 Cases	Disposed,	
The Action Used	To Dispose/A	djust Each Of The	1,837 Referral Reasons Was:
325	OR	17.7% Dismissed	
2	OR	0.1% Retired or Nolle Pr	rosequi
586	OR	31.9% Complaint Substar	ntiated Delinquent
146	OR	7.9% Complaint Substar	ntiated Status Offender
27	OR	1.5% Complaint Substar	ntiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substar	ntiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substar	ntiated Mentally III
1	OR	0.1% Informal Adjustme	nt
547	OR	29.8% Pretrial Diversion	
2	OR	0.1% Transfer To Adult (Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared E	By Transfer To Adult Court
16	OR	0.9% Special Proceeding	g
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded	i
169	OR	9.2% Case Held Open	
16	OR	0.9% Other	
1,837	OR	100.0% Total	